April 25, 2005

Ms. Marlene Dortch Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 Twelfth Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Petitioner's Comments
Arapaho, Oklahoma (MB Docket No. 05-136)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed is an original and four (4) copies of Petitioner's Comments for Channel 251C3 at Arapaho, Oklahoma.

Respectfully submitted,

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To:

Office of the Secretary

Attn:

(Arapaho, Oklahoma)

Audio Division, Media Bureau

PETITIONER'S COMMENTS

Please accept these comments as restated below from Proponents original petition.

DISCUSSION

Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 251C3 to Arapaho, Oklahoma as that community's first local FM service. Arapaho, Oklahoma is an incorporated community with a population of 748 people. Arapaho has its own post office, its own volunteer fire department, its own city hall, police department and a number of local churches. The proposed channel 251C3 will provide additional diversity and an outlet for local self-expression to Arapaho residents and therefore is in the public interest.

¹ U.S. Census 2000

Should this petition be granted and Channel 251C3 is allotted to Arapaho, Oklahoma, Petitioner will apply for Channel 251C3 at Arapaho and after it is authorized, will promptly construct the new facility.

The factual information provided in these Comments is correct and true to the best of my knowledge.

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cc: Gene A. Bechtel, Law Office of Gene Bechtel, Suite 600, 1050 17th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, telephone (202) 496-1289, telecopier (301) 762-0156, attorney for Charles Crawford. It is requested that the Commission and any parties who may file pleadings in the captioned matter serve copies to Mr. Bechtel as well as Charles Crawford.

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